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Dear Hal:

I'm enclosing copies of recent articles, etc. plus the excerpt from the Bowles ms on Dallas police officer Jackson referred to as Officer "C" by Bowles. As you'll note when I last wrote you, ~~that~~ there is no mention by Jackson of anything remotely resembling a "single bullet theory" which Bowles claims. Does what I have enclosed match with your copy? If it does I cannot understand why Bowles would've made such a claim. Posner, of course, in his book ~~uses~~ uses Bowles to bolster the "lone nut" theory.

And mentioning Posner I thought you'd be interested in knowing that Posner will be appearing at the Green Apple Book store on Wednesday evening, Sept. 29th to discuss and obviously promote his book. At this point I don't know if Random House arranged for the book store (located in S.F.) to handle the "discussion" but if so they could have picked a better known one than that. Dr. Aguilar told me that Random House would not answer queries as to whether Posner was going on a Book tour. Both myself and Dr. Aguilar intend on hearing him speak and I will, of course, describe what his "discussion" is all about in my next letter to you.

Thanks for the very interesting enclosures about both you and your wife being honored by Hood College. I am very glad that this has occurred for no one else I know of so richly deserves this as do the two of you who have done more than anyone else to find out the truth of what occurred on November 22, 1963.

You had asked me for the name and address of Failure Analysis and so here it is: Failure Analysis ~~Associates~~ Associates, 149 Commonwealth Drive, Menlo Park, Ca. 94025. Their phone # is: 415-326-9400. I've written them myself and have asked for copies of their report but have not yet received a reply.

In speaking with someone recently on the phone I was told that Seth Kantor had recently passed away. Do you know if this is true?

Next week I'll be speaking with that former FBI agent, Tom O'Maley, who is supposed to have told some one I know that Oswald was an informant but he never gave the FBI any information. My source also told me that O'Maley also interviewed a Dallas police official who is supposed to have let in Ruby in the basement where he then shot Oswald. I assume that the official of the Dallas police would, of ~~course~~ course, not admit to letting Ruby in deliberately but I'll find out precisely what the FBI agent was told and

who it was involved. Although my source said that the FBI agent says his report is in the WC Volumes I could find no reference there. He may mean that the report is in the National Archives, though. Although my source said that the police official's last name was Price I believe this is an error. Perhaps he is thinking of Lt. Rio Pierce. Whatever I can find out I will let you know.

Any further word on your book, "Never Again"? I'd like to obtain copies so that I can do several reviews of it for different publications.

I received word from Richard Trask of Massachusetts who tells me that in January, 1994 he'll be coming out with a limited edition run of his book, "~~P~~ictures of the Pain: Photography and the President Kennedy Assassination". It is not a photo book per se but a book describing the experiences of the photographers. Trask has agreed to appear with me at the Dallas November Symposium where I'll head up the "Photographic Evidence Panel". Todd Vaughan and Marin Shaleford have also agreed to appear with me.

I also have received a notice that Ray Marcus has come out with a book titled, "The HSCA, the Zapruder Film and the Single Bullet Theory". The Last Hurrah Bookshop advertises it for sale at \$20.00. I haven't been in touch with Ray for over a year.

"Back Channels" magazine will have a review on the Posner book in its next issue due out in October. They did not tell me who is doing it. An article I submitted them on the John Woods photo book won't appear in the next issue because they had no space for it but it will appear in the issue after ~~the next one~~ the next one due out in December. I'll send you a copy when it does get printed.

I guess this will keep you ~~xxx~~ up to date as to what is happening here. It look as if the next two months will prove to be very busy, indeed.

Do write when you get the chance.

Best,

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